

Blast Throws Devastating Flame Through Hall



Courtesy of Des Moines Register
This aerial view which pictures the rear of Residence Hall, or the east side, taken the day after the devastating blast, shows clearly the area which was affected by the explosion of the gas tank about 100 feet from the building. A fire rapidly swept through the entire southeast section. In the foreground is a large part of the big tank which was thrown eastward and plummeted into a freight car and came to a crashing stop.

Residence Hall Disaster Brings About Long Desired Removal of Tank Hazards Near College

The agony and suffering which the women of Residence Hall have endured as a result of the explosion which wrecked the dormitory have brought about action that has removed the hazard of the tanks of the St. Joseph Light and Power Company so that in the future no women living in the Hall, which will be restored, will live in fear of a repetition of the awful hours of the morning of April 28, President of the College, Dr. J. W. Jones, has declared.

The officials of the St. Joseph Light and Power Company assured the Board of Regents, Tuesday, May 2, that the hazards of their tanks have been removed and will not at any time in the future be restored.

Regents Authorize Request

Consequently, the Board of Regents in a meeting May 2 has authorized a request to the General Assembly to replace the building, subject to insurance adjustment. Thursday morning, May 3, adjusters began settling claims of the girls of Residence Hall who had lost personal property. The College had asked the girls previously to prepare an inventory of all articles lost.

At approximately 12:10, early Saturday morning, Residence Hall was rocked by an explosion which shook the whole community. The blast, which has been reported to have been seen seventy miles away, sent flames shooting throughout the south wing of the girls' dormitory, but within a matter of seconds men were arriving to aid the stricken.

Girls fled from their rooms down smoky halls to fire escape exits and to the main door. A few were helped from lower floor windows. Organization among the rescue workers became apparent immediately. Many had scattered throughout the building, searching each room. These men were especially concerned with the rooms of the southeast section of the dormitory which had been shattered by the explosion.

Despite the terrific confusion, many girls reacted calmly. Only a few were helped from the dormitory, and the building was evacuated in an amazingly few minutes.

All Help
When the men had been assured that every girl was out of the dormitory, they turned their attention to the girls' personal property. Dozens of students, and servicemen and faculty covered the sections which were accessible through the intense smoke and heat, and passed clothing and other belongings of the stricken occupants.

Thank You

The entire family of the Northwest Missouri State College joins me in a simple but heartfelt expression of appreciation and gratitude to all those who helped our girls in Residence Hall.

J. W. Jones, President.

Those whose injuries were most serious are Maxine DeShon, Clarkdale; Susan King, Mallerd Maune and Roberta Steel, all of St. Joseph.

Active On Campus

Maxine, a freshman music major and member of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority, received third degree burns about the face and limbs and suffered shock. Susan suffered from serious burns and severe shock. She is a sophomore elementary major and is advertising manager of the Northwest Missourian.

Mallerd, a sophomore physical education major and member of Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority, suffered third degree burns.

Roberta received third degree burns about the face and extremities and suffered severe shock. She is a member of the Independent Club and is majoring in elementary education.

Plasma, lockjaw shots, penicillin and sedatives were included in the treatment patients received. Forty pounds of vaseline for treatment of burns were brought from Kansas City.

Others Hurt
Miss Hattie Houp, housemother at Residence Hall, was hospitalized for a time with a foot injury. Mrs. Blanche Lawler, housekeeper, suffered a heart attack. Mrs. Amie Meadows, cook, was treated and released.

It was also at the president's home that the list of girls was checked to ascertain that all had been accounted for from the dormitory and that all would have a place to stay for that night.

Girls Are Checked

There was active cooperation which promoted a great deal of efficiency in this endeavor. Within an hour all the girls had been listed as being safe and had been given rooms for the night.

There is no individual or one group which can be commended for heroic action. Each did his part in sharing the responsibility which faced the College at that time. All merit praise.

Injuries were received by many of the girls staying in Residence Hall at that time. Of the 156 girls living in the hall, about one-third were at home for the week end and many had remained to attend the dance which was to be held the next night.

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Spring Commencement Program Is May 24

College Paper Is Judged Best Again

The Northwest Missourian was judged the best all-round newspaper in Class B for senior colleges with fewer than 1000 enrollment at the annual convention and awards luncheon of the Missouri College Newspaper Association in Columbia, May 4. This is the fourth successive year for the College to receive the honor.

Washington University of St. Louis received the first place Class A award, and Christian College of Columbia was first in Class C. The three papers received plaques given by the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Twenty-one Missouri colleges entered the contests this year. Judging was done on the basis of standards, however, not of competition.

Herbert Awe, editor, of River Grove, Illinois; Bob Cariger, Gatum, Canal Zone; and Miss Violette Hunter, adviser, attended the meeting. Mr. Awe was elected treasurer of the Missouri College Newspaper Association.

Susan King and Henrietta Hoffmeister, members of the staff who had planned to attend the convention, were unable to do so because of injuries received in the Residence Hall fire. Miss King was seriously injured and is still in the hospital.

New Towers Will Soon Be Received

Richard Gordon, editor of the 1951 Tower, announces that the new Towers will arrive soon and will be distributed immediately upon arrival. Because of the assistance so ably and generously given to Jewel Price, art editor, Joe Collier, business manager, and the editor, the book was efficiently compiled and written.

Those students who gave their help in all of the work necessary to produce the College yearbook are as follows: Richard Gordon, Jewel Price, Joe Collier, Nadine Cramer, Mildred Maxon, Lucille Steinhauser, Beverly Crane, Frank Babb, Mary Ellen Daniels, Virginia Bird, Margie Lewis, Don Davis, Jean Hansen, and Alice Whitelatch. Faculty members who deserve commendation for the unselfish devotion of time and assistance are Mr. Howard Ringold and Dr. Frank Grube.

If, when you receive your Tower, you decide good job has been done by these people in preparing an adequate and interesting history of M. S. C. for the 1950-51 school year, don't hesitate to tell them that you like the Tower.

Besides any personal satisfaction derived from their individual work, this is the best pay these people can receive for their unselfish efforts throughout the year. And a job on the Tower staff isn't merely a minor job. It is quite time-consuming and requires the best these people can offer.

Alumni Schedule Banquet on May 23

On Wednesday evening May 23, at 6:30, the annual Alumni Banquet will be held in the Horace Mann cafeteria.

Mr. Edward P. Morgan, Director of Enforcement in the Office of Price Stabilization, Washington, D. C., will be the speaker.

Classes of 1911, 1921, 1931, 1941, and 1951 will be honored.

Dr. Paul T. McNutt will be in charge of the music, and Mrs. Helen Fisher Mutz will be in charge of decorations.

Previously, the banquets have been formal, but this year the affair will be informal.

This year's officers are President F. B. Houghton, Maryville; Miss Laura Hawkins, treasurer, Maryville; and Everett W. Brown, secretary, Maryville.

Members of the Executive Board are the Rev. John W. Ward, Oregon; Mrs. Helen Fisher Mutz, Maryville; and Mr. Wilbur Williams, Oregon.

Reservations are to be sent to Mr. Everett W. Brown, secretary of the Alumni Association, not later than Monday, May 21.

Attention, Seniors!

Dean W. A. Brandenburg has announced that the Faculty Council has excused all seniors from taking finals at the regular time. Senior week will begin immediately following the last class Friday, May 18.

If any final examinations are to be given to the seniors, they must be given no later than May 18. Previously only seniors with an E or S average have been excused.

The Field Service Department of the College has already this year placed sixty-nine students in teaching positions.

Personnel Staff Heads New Air Force Unit on Campus



Tomorrow twenty-five more Air Force men will arrive on the College campus, increasing the total to 125 men. This will mean an increase in work for the members of the staff who have their offices in the library. First row, Staff Sergeant James W. Tabler, Sergeant Lawrence E. Mock. Second row, Sergeant Kenneth E. Richards, Staff Sergeant Wallace E. Antjuhl. Third row, First Sergeant Isaac R. Craft, Captain Howard M. Wandrup, Staff Sergeant Herbert D. Smith.

Nineteen Will Be Recognized by the AAUP For Scholastic Accomplishment; Many Other Awards

Honors Assembly Next Wednesday Is Citation Of Those Whose Achievement Promotes High Ideals

Through the courtesy of the AAUP Selection Committee, the names of those who will be honored by the American Association of University Professors for scholastic achievement have been released. Each year the association selects the four high ranking students of each class in scholastic achievement and the two seniors who have the highest four year record.

The two seniors who are at the top of their graduating class are Diana Yip and Joyce Marie Smith. Diana is a student from Shanghai, China, and is majoring in English. Joyce is a Maryville girl with a business major.

Sophomores

Sophomore honorees are George Albert Bunch, of Marceline, with a social science major; Calvin Nicola Goeders, of Maryville, with a presidency course; Alice Annette Whitelatch, of Russell, Iowa, with a major in Spanish; and Jo Ann Magnuson, of Kansas City, with a physical education major. This will be a second honor for Miss Whitelatch and Miss Magnuson.

Freshmen

Because of a fourth place tie, the Committee chose five freshmen for scholastic honors. These are Frank Edward Bab, of Maryville, who has a major in English; Thelma Ann Buckley, of Craig, with a business major; Margaret Joann Kowitz, of Helena, with home economics major; Robert Eugene Owens, of Hopkins, who is taking pre-engineering; and Melva June Heits of Craig, with a chemistry major.

These nineteen students will be honored in the Honors Assembly next Wednesday. Many others will be cited for various other accomplishments.

Juniors

Juniors recognized are Betty Fern Curry, of Rock Port, with a home economics major; Mrs. Betty Seely Martin, of Princeton, with a home economics major; Mary Louanne Burger, of Van Meter, Iowa, with a home economics major; and Herbert LaVerne Awe of River Grove, Illinois, with a social science major.

These will be the second AAUP honor for Miss Curry and Mrs. U. P. honors.

Seniors

Seniors selected are Mary Marie Schulte, of Oregon, who is majoring in music; Donald Robert Davis, of Hopkins, with a business major; Katherine Jean Hansen, of Conception Junction, with a business major; and Wayne Verne Simmons, of Maryville, with a business major. This is the second time Miss Schulte, Miss Hansen, and Mr. Simmons have received AAUP honors.

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Others Will Be Honored

Dick Gordon will be commended for his fine job on the 1950-1951 Tower, and Herbert Awe will be recognized as editor of the Northwest Missourian.

The American Association of University Women will present a junior scholarship award, a senior scholarship medal, and a senior courtesy membership award to three qualifying women.

Dr. Paul McNutt and Ronne McNutt, cello; J. B. Wilson, string bass.

Paper Staff Completes Year's Work With Last Issue



Staff members of the Northwest Missourian have completed work for the final issue of the paper. Their labor has earned them a first place award from Columbia University, New York, in a Columbia Scholastic Press Association contest. In the foreground, left to right, are Mildred Maxon, Henrietta Hoffmeister, Herbert Awe, editor, and Frances Wilson. In the background, left to right, are Dwan Wick, Roberta Cronkhite, Jim Montague, Mary Belle Bast, Dean Knudie, Carolyn Butt, Frank Babb, Ken England, Susan King, and Beverly Crane. Not shown are Mary Ellen Daniels, Myron Mock, Herschel Neil, John Pope, Theis Robinson, Roy Check, Charlotte Turner, Donald Davis, William Miller.

E. P. Morgan Gives Address

Senior Baccalaureate Service Will Be May 20

Graduation for the 1951 seniors is close at hand. Baccalaureate service will be Sunday afternoon, May 20, at 4 p.m. Commencement will be Thursday morning, May 24, at 10 a.m.

Mr. Edward P. Morgan, M. A., L. B., L. L. M., D. J. S., Director of Enforcement in the Office of Price Stabilization, Washington D. C., will give the address at the forty-fifth commencement exercises. His subject is "The Totalitarian Challenge to American Free Institutions."

Miss Irene Mueller, Ph. D., will lead the invocation. Mrs. Donald Sandford, pianist, and Mr. Sandford, violinist, will play "Polka from Nocturne" by Beethoven. Mr. Franklin Mitchell, organist, will play the recessional "Donah Tocata" by Bach.

The Rev. M. S. Harvey gives Address

The Reverend M. S. Harvey, pastor of the First Methodist Church, St. Joseph, will deliver the baccalaureate address.

Processional for baccalaureate service will be "The Church's One Foundation" by Wesley. Music will be furnished by members of the Tower Choir as they sing "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes" by Sowerby. Miss Helen McDonald will give an incidental solo.

Miss Elaine Hunt will sing a solo "O Salutans" by Pfueger. All will join in the singing of "How Firm a Foundation." The Tower Choir will sing the "Choral Amen" by Lutkin.

Mr. Franklin Mitchell, organist, will play the recessional, "Trumpet Tune," by Purcell.

President Will Confer Degrees

Highlight of the day will be the presentation of the class by Dean W. A. Brandenburg, dean of the faculty, to President J. W. Jones, who will confer the degrees.

The commencement speaker, Mr. Edward P. Morgan, whose experience has been concerned with the Federal Bureau of Investigation and also the Federal Administrative of

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Union Program Features Movie, Starlight Dance

Jimmy Durante Stars In Collegiate Musical Film

Jimmy Durante stars in the great musical hit of "Start Cheering," which will be shown Friday night in the auditorium at 7:15. This number one college musical with Gertude Nielsen and the Three Stooges accompanying the boola, boola, "Schnozzola" is a rhythmic, rollicking, scene of college life. Immediately afterwards the Student Union Bearcat Den will be open for dancing and games. The Den will also be open Saturday night.

An interesting program has been planned for the remainder of the spring quarter by the new Student Union committee. A week from this Friday, on May 18, the committee hopes to present one of its most exciting programs of the year.

Schedule "Penny Serenade"

A movie, "Penny Serenade," has been scheduled for that Friday, and directly after this movie a dance on the tennis court beneath the lights will complete the program. Colored lights have been suggested and, therefore, are tentative.

Music will be supplied by Dwan Wick and his sound system. Throughout the entire year Wick's sound system has been the one reliable source of music for the many dances which the Student Union committee has sponsored. His music has been adequate and his sound system clear and sufficiently loud. "Penny Serenade" is a human and tender love story of an errant newspaperman and his wife, starring Irene Dunne and Cary Grant. A comedy and short will also be shown.

Activities Are Successful

Student Union activities in the past have been very successful. A party which was originally scheduled at the girls' dormitory, May 3, was still given, but in the Bearcats' Den and under the supervision of the Union committee.

Because of an independent function Friday, May 4, a movie was not shown and the Den was just opened for

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THE COLLEGE OATH

"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will revere and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

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FACULTY ADVISER Miss Violette Hunter

THANK YOU, MEN!

There are no words to describe the appreciation felt by the dormitory girls for all the help from you men during our disaster Friday night. If there were medals to cover such bravery, you would have them . . . if there were rewards big enough, you would have them.

When the blast first occurred, there was panic—but within a matter of minutes you had arrived and had succeeded in clearing the building of its residents.

You rushed the wounded to the hospital, fought the blaze, carried clothing and furniture—a commanding officer on a battle field could never be as proud of his army as we were of you.

Not only are some of us more fortunate ones indebted to you for our personal belongings, but some of us are indebted to you for our lives.

When it comes to thinking of words big enough to express our "thanks," I feel very inadequate and small, but from the bottom of my heart and in behalf of all of the dorm girls—**THANK YOU! THANK YOU!**

—Sharlis Marple

BACK TO WORK!

Occasionally, in many persons' lives, some event takes place which will never be forgotten. This is the case of many MSC students who experienced the tragic explosion and fire of last week.

But when the excitement caused by such an event subsides, the students must think of getting back to normal.

The best way for us to make sure conditions return to normal is to do our share toward this goal, and then a little more. The strongest force on the campus is being displayed. This force, the will power of the students, is a driving force in correcting difficult situations which arise every day and in building for the tomorrow which our campus will enjoy.

Someday let us look back to say with pride, "We really met those problems of 1951 with flying colors."

—Richard Gordon

MY CLOTHES DON'T FIT

If there is anything I have always wanted, it has been to be able to throw away my old wardrobe and get an entirely new one.

I can remember going to my closet morning after morning and setting up that wail, "I haven't a thing to wear!" I'm still wailing, but with much more meaning! The terrible truth is that I haven't even a closet anymore.

It's quite exciting to decide whether I can wear this girl's dress or that girl's skirt as they are being so graciously offered. One nice thing, I'm not bored with "my" clothes since they're one-day stands.

The only moral I can find is: right now I'm quite fond of my clothes that don't fit me very well!

—Nadine Cramor

WE CARRY ON

We have experienced a disaster. Last Friday night our minds were racing and our hearts were pounding. We have all experienced fear, but this was different. This was something bigger and more terrifying.

Now we must rebuild our college in spirit and body. We have shown our strength; we must carry on that strength.

—Jo Ellen Wilson

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

Monday, May 21

8-10..... 8 o'clock classes
10-12..... 10 o'clock classes
1-3..... 1 o'clock classes

Tuesday, May 22

8-10..... 9 o'clock classes
10-12..... 11 o'clock classes
1-3..... 2 o'clock classes

Saturday, May 19, or Wednesday, May 23

8-10..... 3 o'clock classes

Residence Hall Disaster Brings About Removal

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Many others were treated for burns and cuts from glass and then released.

Community Helps

Good local spirit was displayed as the citizens of Maryville donated a helping hand to the Northwest Missouri State College and its students after the disastrous explosion and fire.

Maryville home owners opened their doors to the girls following the fire. Everyone of the 165 girls has been placed in homes for the remainder part of the school year.

Dr. J. W. Jones, College president, in a special all-school assembly, April 30, thanked everyone for the splendid help given after the explosion.

Civic Groups Help

Only hours after the blast, civic organizations of Maryville formed an organization committee to plan to help for the girls who were made homeless.

Colonel Eek, executive secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, announced that several private citizens have already submitted checks to the emergency committee to be used as the groups deem most beneficial.

R. E. Wyman, commander of the local American Legion Post, announced that the Legion has set up a special loan fund of \$600 for the students and that no interest will be charged on any loans made from the fund.

Offer Assistance

The Kansas City Alumni Association and Peru State Teachers College of Nebraska offered their assistance to the College as did other groups.

Harold Neece, business manager, said that the girls who live in town will be under the same regulations as the girls who already have been living outside the dormitory. Meals will be served in the dining room of the men's Quadrangle and at the Horace Mann high school cafeteria for the time being.

Personal property was turned in at the Library. Many girls found some of their property there.

Survey Damage

The St. Joseph Light and Power Company and the College authorities are making a survey of the damage done by the explosion. The light and power company is making an investigation of the cause of the explosion.

Between 125 and 150 tons of rock phosphate was lost when the tank hit the large hopper owned by the Consumers Oil Company. The Coop men said the spring deliveries of phosphate will be hampered because of the explosion. The twisted railroad tracks are being replaced.

The building was covered by insurance, but probably not sufficient to cover the entire loss during the present period of advanced prices.

Two men from the University of Oklahoma, Lewis M. Killian, professor of sociology, and Thomas H. Sarn, a graduate student in sociology, worked on an investigation to determine human reactions to explosions.

Miss Chloe Millikan Attends AAUW Meeting

Miss Chloe Millikan attended the State Convention of the American Association of University Women in Cape Girardeau the week end of April 27.

At this meeting she was installed as first vice president of the organization for the next biennial.

Air Force Is Here!

By BILL HULL

Those beautiful blue uniforms you see around the campus belong to the men of the United States Air Force. We are proud and happy to have them with us. Reactions of some members of the student body are as follows:

J. B. Wilson—"They are a bunch of sharp cats."

Elaine Jones—"Men! Yippee!"

Jerry Shiel—"They are a nice bunch of guys and none of them have given me no static." (His way of saying he approves.)

Glen Meredith—"I have no objection to their being here. As a matter of fact I have found them to be an extremely nice group of chaps, and I sincerely believe that we should all do our best to make them happy and at home in our town. (J. C., please note.)"

Robert Steel—"Love those uniforms, boys, love 'em all!"

Jo Marple—"A little competition in this school might do a lot of good."

Curt Gaffney—"They are a bunch of sharp cats!" (It's easy to tell whom he runs around with.)

Hull—"I have talked to some who told me they are wanting to get overseas where the action is, but someone has to do the paper work. They will do the best at whatever they are assigned to do. The general attitude is 'Welcome, Fellahs! We are glad you are here and will do our best to make it pleasant for you.'"

Senate Resolution

WHEREAS, the serious injuries and appalling loss of property occasioned by the gas explosion at Northwest Missouri State College in Maryville, on April 28, saddens and arouses the sympathy of the entire state; and

WHEREAS, the devastation and injuries caused by this tragic occurrence will inflict upon the citizens of Maryville, the faculty and student body of the Northwest Missouri State College, and the parents of the injured students, untold inconvenience and anguish; and

WHEREAS, the Senate of the 66th General Assembly on behalf of the state of Missouri wishes to commend the bravery, courage, and fortitude of those injured and those who risked injury in rescue and fire fighting operations; now

BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the 66th General Assembly extend to the citizens of Maryville, to the faculty and student body, and to the injured students and their friends and relatives, its compassion for the suffering and anguish occasioned by this tragedy; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the secretary of the Senate be instructed, as an expression of deep sympathy, to forward a copy of this resolution to President J. W. Jones of the Northwest Missouri State College, and to Mayor Clyde M. Roberts of Maryville.

STATE OF MISSOURI :
CITY OF JEFFERSON :
SENATE CHAMBER

I, Joseph A. Bauer, Secretary of the Senate, do hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a full, true and complete copy of Senate Resolution No. 78, offered into and adopted by the Senate on May 1, 1951, as fully as the same appears on record in my office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Senate of the State of Missouri this 1st day of May, A. D. 1951.

J. H. Bauer

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE
66th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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ices, have an interesting record.

A graduate of this College, in 1934, Mr. Morgan has since then received his M. A. degree from the University of Missouri, LL. B. and LL. M. degrees from Georgetown University, and has completed work for a Doctor of Juridical Science at the same university.

During the period of his F. B. I. experience, Mr. Morgan made a special study of Fascism, Communism, and other Totalitarian ideologies, and has lectured concerning the merits of such ideologies.

CANDIDATES AT CLOSE**OF 1951 SPRING TERM****Bachelor of Arts**

Berta Escuña, Lima, Peru.
Max Williams Kinney, Mount City.
Mary Marie Schillie, Oregon.
Mary Virginia Scott, Maryville.
Diana Yip, Shanghai, China.

Bachelor of Science

Franklin Bollinger, Excelsior Springs.
Debott E. Gabbert, Grant City.
Donald Leslie Grace, Burlington Jet.
William Irvin Hann, Burlington Jet.

Edward Vernon James, St. Joseph.
Max Williams Kinney, Mount City.

Charles Dean Knodle, Lenox, Iowa.
Forrest Gilbert Lowe, Gilman City.

Harry Frank Miller, Jr., St. Joseph.
Robert Jackson Miller, Plate City.
Mary Virginia Scott, Maryville.
Maurice William Sheil, Maryville, Iowa.

Malvin R. Wharton, Stanberry.
Bachelor of Science In Secondary Education

Kenneth Fay Aumen, Fairport.
Raymond Basford, Maryville.
Robert Berry, Des Moines, Iowa.
Marlin F. Carey, Elliott, Ia.
Clinton R. Chadwick, Orient, Ia.
Verel A. Chidwick, Orient, Ia.
Roy Albin Cheet, Lawson.

Gene Richard Conrad, Clarinda, Iowa.
Iva Pauline Cramer, Pasadena, Texas.

Donald Robert Davis, Hopkins.
Carl Detter, Maryville.
Ditte Dressler, Chicago, Ill.
Birney Robert Durland, River Grove, Ill.

Oliver Paul Fisher, Jr., Maryville.
John Edwin French, Maryville.
Sergia Claire Fries, Maryville.
Nila Ladeen Geer, Shenandoah, Iowa.

Betty Williams Grace, Albany.
Robert R. Grobelski, Waukegan, Ill.

Kathrine Jean Hansen, Conception, Ia.
John Henry Hellerich, St. Joseph.
Mahlon Hunter Hewitt, Conway, Iowa.

Herbert Dean Hinton, Pickering.
Max Jacob Hohenauer, St. Joseph.

Burman Merl Hull, Omaha, Neb.
Max R. Johnson, Nodaway, Iowa.
Mary Booth Kliman, Ottumwa, Iowa.

Charles Lee Kissick, Avalon.
Forrest Gilbert Lowe, Gilman City.

Gaylord Dean Meyers, Atlantic, Iowa.
Howard Edwin Michelson, Villisca, Iowa.

William Edward Miller, Shambaugh, Iowa.
James T. Montague, St. Joseph.
James Franklin Montgomery, Maryville.

John Joseph Mullen, Jr., St. Joseph.

Mary Lou Neville, Prospect, Oregon.
Margaret Norine Norris, Independence.

Lorraine Ogden, Maryville.
Carmen Stanley Phillips, Blytheville.

Etheline Coraly Polk, Sidney, Ia.
Wilbur L. Pollard, South Bend, Ind.

JAMES Wilber Pool, Albany.
John Paul Pope, Maryville.

Gehl Paul Porter, Gower.
Ralph Leon Quimby, Corning.
Galen Wayne Rice, St. Joseph.

Jewell Rice, Parsonsburg.
Burton Laird Richley, Corning, Ia.
Theodosieleen Robinson, Weatherby.
William Peyton Sherman, St. Joseph.

Glenn Melvin Sherry, St. Joseph.
Leota Mae Shipley, Grant City.
Wayne Verne Simmons, Blockton, Iowa.

Ruth Slaten, Blockton, Iowa.
Joyce Marie Smith, Maryville.
Dean C. Steele, Cameron.
James Wilson Tanner, Jacksonville, Fla.

Marion Petett, St. Joseph.
Forrest Bryce Pulley, St. Joseph.

Bachelor of Science in Education, Elementary

Paul R. Baker, St. Joseph.
Maribelle Gee, Shenandoah, Iowa.
Georgia Ruth Kilwan, St. Joseph.
Dorothy Wilholt Porter, Gower.

Martha June Reeves, Mercer.

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES AT END OF FALL TERM**Bachelor of Arts**

New Agriculture Club Officers Are Elected

Members of the Agriculture Club elected new officers for the 1951-52 school year at the May 1 meeting. The new officers include the following: Herschel Nelson, president; Dave Winslow, vice president; Bill Cain, secretary; Billy Baber, treasurer; Margaret Andrews, reporter; and Kenny Benham, parliamentarian. The new officers took office immediately. The nominating committee included the retiring officers of the year.

Retiring officers of the year include Delbert Gabbert, president; Kenny Benham, vice president; Don Grace, secretary; Russell Terhune, treasurer; Jim Montague, reporter; and Ross Wilson, parliamentarian.

Activities of the group throughout the year are participation in homecoming activities, an annual barn-warming, a spring judging contest, and an annual award banquet at which members honor their dads and special guests. Mr. F. B. Houghton is the faculty sponsor of the organization.

The newly elected officers are planning an entertainment for the total membership. At the close of the meetings, Mr. F. B. Houghton served refreshments to the club to show his appreciation of the help during the spring contests.

Delta Sigma Epsilon Plans Spring Formal

Jo Cutler, Delta Sigma Epsilon president, reports that tentative plans are still being made with regard to the Delta Sigma spring formal on May 19. The dance will probably be held, but with curtailment of the elaborateness that was originally planned.

The highlight of the evening will be the crowning of the Rose of DSE, chosen from the six senior girls. Her coronation will be during the singing of the "Rose of DSE."

All the actives and pledges will celebrate the chapter birthday on May 17 by wearing white. Local Alpha Phi chapter was founded on this campus in 1947. A picnic with a birthday cake will be held in the park.

Following the meal, a group singing of Delta songs and other old favorites is planned. The traditional senior gift, a crested perfume atomizer, will be presented to each of the graduates, who are Mary Booth Kinman, Dolores Reed, Betty Conrad, Bedonna White, Mary Lee Botkin, and Kathryn Barnmann.

Phi Sigs Hold Annual Hell Night April 28

Nu chapter of Phi Sigma Epsilon held its informal initiation of its spring pledge class, Saturday night, April 28. Hell Night was cut short of its usual happenings by the explosion and resulting fire at Residence Hall. The traditional "pet parade" was not included in the evening's happenings, mainly because there was no place to end the parade.

Hell Night began at eleven o'clock and continued until nearly four o'clock the following morning. Completion of this night of fun for the actives and torture for the pledges ended pledge duties for the following men: Wallace Croy, Bob Crockett, Calvin Goeders, Bill Gram, Orville Lippold, Harmon Muthershead, Jerry White, Jack Burks, Tom Foster, Harry Yungschlager, F. D. Patterson, Max Pierce, Paul Carrel, Allan Spies, and Danny Kneale.

David Yount, who was in the night of the informal initiation, was the guest of honor at another session held Tuesday evening May 1, at the chapter room. These men were formally initiated into the fraternity Wednesday evening, May 2.

Maryville Rotary Club Extends Its Sympathy

Among the many expressions of sympathy, extended by individuals and groups throughout the community, state, and nation, President J. W. Jones has received a resolution of commendation and sympathy from the Maryville Rotary Club. The courageous action of College students and Air Force men in assisting during the disaster were highly praised by the group.

Also, the group lauded the president, staff, and faculty for their efficiency in handling all problems in connection with the catastrophe. Special note was made of the fine relations maintained between the College and the people of the community.

Members of Tri Sigma Cancel Their Formal

Because most of the decorations were destroyed and because of the difficulty in finding a suitable date schedule another dance, the Tri Sigma sorority has cancelled the Spring Formal. And they will have a picnic for members, pledges, and their Jean Overstreet is general in charge of planning the The date of the picnic will be saved by not having the performance will be used to help the cause of the recent fire.

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These Men Were Winners of the Ag Judging Contest



Above are the winners of the spring judging contest of the Ag Club. The awards were made by Mr. F. B. Houghton, sponsor of the organization, at the fourth Annual Award Banquet, held April 20, at Residence Hall. Members pictured, left to right are Delbert Gabbert, president; Herschel Nelson, who won the trophy and was first in the beef and sheep division; and Mr. Houghton. Second row, left to right, Don Grace, Max Miller, Nowell Miller and Billy Pease, all of whom tied with Herschel for first in sheep. Lamar Esbeck, who won the swine medal, is not pictured.

Phi Sigma Epsilon Will Hold One-Flower Formal on May 12

Campus Briefs

Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity is, for the first time in several years, holding a one-flower spring formal. The flowers which the Phi Sigmas will present to their dates will be orchids.

The Phi Sig spring formal will be held May 12, in Rooms 113-114 of the Administration building.

Outstanding among the events planned for the evening will be the announcement of the man chosen for the honor of "Phi Sig of the Year." This award is made on the basis of man's personal qualifications. A few of these are social adaptability, work in the fraternity, conduct, reputation, and school work.

This award was started in 1948 and is now an annual award with the man chosen being presented with an engraved cup denoting the honor.

"Orchid Ball" is the theme chosen by the Phi Sigs for this social event. The girls' gymnasium will be decorated in such a manner as to do justice to the theme chosen for this formal affair.

Alumni of the chapter who will have returned to the campus for the ball, guests, and actives of the fraternity will dance to the music of Jack Moore and the Collegians.

Invitations have been sent to President and Mrs. J. W. Jones and Miss Martha Locke. Fraternity sponsors and honorary members invited are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Diereter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gee, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Strong, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Grube, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mulford, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Brandenburg, and Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Person.

Refreshments will be served immediately following an intermission program presented by Joe Zeleny, Dean Knodel, Jim Montgomery, Curt Gaffney, Jack Burks, Danny Kneale, Paul Carrel, and Orville Lippold.

The "Orchid Ball" will be the last formal fraternity function for these graduating seniors: Jack Miller, Platte City; Glen Meredith, Jim Montgomery, and Bill Gram, all of Maryville; Bill Shiel, Maloy, Iowa; Jim Pool, Albany; Bud Carmichael, Hopkins; and Dean Knodel, Lenox, Iowa.

Two Students Represent College at NSA Meeting

Mr. Richard Gordon, president of the Student Senate, and Mr. Herschel Neil, student senator, represented Northwest Missouri State College at the Missouri-Kansas Regional meeting of the National Student Association held at Warrensburg, May 4-6.

Topics that were discussed were concepts of student government, status of N. S. A. at national level, cultural affairs, student discount system implementation, legislation affecting education, international awareness on the campus, and participation in N. S. A.'s international program.

Colleges in the MIAA held a meeting to discuss the admittance of students from different colleges on their activity cards.

Richard and Herschel gave reports to the Student Senate on the results of the meeting.

APO Will Erect Signs For Campus Buildings

Members of the Service Projects Committee of Alpha Omega have announced that signs, naming each campus building, will be placed soon.

The committee is composed of Jim Montague, Bill Pease, and Maurice Pontius.

The signs will be styled like the "welcome" sign at the College entrance that the service fraternity erected a few years ago.

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Philosophy and World Affairs Are New Topics

For the past few Thursday nights a few students have been meeting to discuss philosophy and world affairs. The group is composed of some of the students who have as their purpose thought and the development of a well balanced philosophy and attitude toward life.

The organization, not recognized as an official extra-curricular organization, has no officers, but rather has a discussion chairman each week. Members are asked to prepare themselves for each discussion.

Charter members of the group, those who attended the initial meeting, are Clarence Godfrey, Sam Croce, William Homedale, Jim Montague, Wilbur Pollard, Teddy Bressler and George Bunch.

Original compositions by Mr. Summers will be included on the program along with four trombone solos by other composers.

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Approximately two years of work were required on the original compositions.

During World War II, Mr. Summers arranged for the C. B. S. show "Waves on Parade," a program designed for "Wave" recruiting. He arranged and played for Joe Dixon, band leader formerly with Fred Waring, at Billy Rose's Diamond Horseshoe.

Mr. Summers says, "Music cannot be described in words; it must be listened to for a proper description."

Few From Local Chapter Attend ACE Convention

During the weekend of May 4, and 6, Miss Chloe Millikan, Miss Neva Ross and a few girls from the local chapter of the Association for Childhood Education attended the State Convention in Jefferson City.

Miss Ross is a member of the state board.

The annual May morning breakfast in honor of the senior girls in the local chapter is scheduled for May 20. Other plans for the occasion have not been completed.

"Work Day" Is Planned By Sigma Sigma Sigma

Tri Sigma members plan a "work day" to raise money to give financial assistance to those members who were victims of the fire. The work day is planned for Saturday, May 10. The girls will wash cars, "clean house," and do many varied tasks.

The Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority is thankful that none of the Residence Hall girls were killed and that none were hurt more severely than they were.

Miss Orril Helwig Dies At Home in Ironton

Miss Orril Helwig died April 26 at the home for Aged Baptists at Ironton, where she and her sister have made their home since 1950. She is buried in the Home cemetery.

Her sister, Miss Katherine Helwig, who was a member of the College faculty for many years, and Mrs. Frank Helwig, a sister-in-law, of Little Rock, Arkansas, survive her.

Speak in Bethany

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College, and three foreign students, Maril Arildes of Argentina, Mafel Daranay of Peru, and Raul Lopez of Ecuador, recently addressed the Bethany Rotary Club and Kiwanis Club and visited the high school there.

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Service News

Pvt. Rose Ann Taney, a member of the WAF's, is now receiving her basic training at Lackland Field near San Antonio, Texas. The training includes 5-7 mile marches, and parades, calisthenics, and rigorous field drills very much like those the service men are subject to. Miss Taney, who completed her sophomore year here at the end of the fall quarter, will finish her basic training in June.

Bill Garrett, a graduate of the College at the end of the winter term, has received his call to report to Lincoln, Nebraska, on May 23 for Naval Air Cadet Training. He will then be transferred to Pensacola Air Base for his first phase of training. At present he is teaching school at Ellington.

Kenneth Barnes, a former student here, visited the campus last week. He was given a short furlough following the completion of his Marine basic training in California.

Cpl. Jerald March, a student at the College last year, is now serving in Tokyo, Japan. Cpl. March was recalled to active duty from reserve status last September.

Mr. Summers Features His Works In Recital

Mr. Stanley S. Summers will present his graduation recital May 15, in the Horace Mann auditorium, at 8:15 p.m.

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During his administration, five new buildings were added to the campus. In the early 1920's the Residence Hall for girls was constructed, as well as a physical education plant, including all gymnasium facilities and a new athletic field. Following the depression came the men's Quadrangle, the Horace Mann laboratory school, and the library.

During the period of World War II, Mr. Lamkin took part in many conferences concerning ways in which educational institutions could serve best in the war effort. He was called in for consultations many times by different government agencies. Besides his work in the wider field, he carried during the war years the work not only of the president of the College but that of the business manager as well.

Received High Ranking

The College, also at this time, was given Class A ranking by the American Association of Teachers Colleges, and was recognized and approved by the North Central Association for its liberal arts work and the A. B. degree as well as approved as a professional school for teacher training.

In the course of years, President Lamkin built around him a strong faculty which had been educated in some of the leading universities of the country. He gave the students self-expression through a student council organized to work with the administration in the matter of campus rules and regulations.

As a result, higher student standards were maintained, a greater curriculum was developed, and a positive expansion of student social life was brought about.

Prepared for Assignment

The preparation which Mr. Lamkin had for his important duty as president of this college is symbolic of his achievement on the campus.

He was graduated from Clinton Academy, Clinton, in 1892 at the age of 16. He clerked for two years and then accepted a position as teacher and principal of the Ward Elementary School in Clinton.

One year after the turn of the century, and for five successive years, he worked in Clinton High School as principal and teacher of history, civics, and bookkeeping. In 1905 he resigned and entered law school at the University of Missouri.

After only four months' time he passed the Missouri bar examination, and was given a position as Chief Clerk in the office of the State Superintendent of Public Schools. After that his rise in civic and educational life, as well as

Interest in This College Thirty Years Is His Record

By HERBERT AWE

Seldom has a College granted the privilege of having a man work for its benefit and welfare for thirty years. Dr. Uel L. Lamkin, president of the Northwest Missouri State College from 1921 to 1945, who achieved a remarkable record in the field of education, marks his thirtieth year of direct interest in this College. For it was in October in the year 1921 that he accepted the presidential offer from the Board of Regents.

From his twenty-five years of service as president have come everlasting monuments of high

social, was rapid.

Was First Public School Inspector

In 1909 he became the first public school inspector in the state of Missouri. He was elected president of the Missouri State Teachers Association in 1911. He spoke on the Chautauqua platform in the summers of 1914 and 1915, discussing school questions in the states of Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Texas, Arkansas, Missouri, Iowa, Minnesota, North Dakota, and South Dakota.

The Governor of Missouri appointed Mr. Lamkin State Superintendent of Public Schools in 1916, and he remained in that position until 1918.

The next year he was appointed director of the Federal Board of Education. During his service in the Federal Government, he had charge of administering the Smith-Hughes Act and the Soldiers' Rehabilitation Program.

"If you find any soldier with an amputation, put him in training, and on the payroll; investigate his capability afterwards," ordered Mr. Lamkin, shortly after accepting the position of Chief of Rehabilitation in Washington, D. C.

Had Extensive Interests

It was while he was in this position that he accepted the presidency of the College. During his twenty-five years as president of this College, Mr. Lamkin continued to be interested in education for the state, the nation, and the world as well as for the College.

For six years he was a member of the executive committee of the Missouri State Teachers Association.

Maryville Defends Outdoor Meet Title Saturday

Mick Anderson, Distance Man, Strives to Better Own Record

Springfield, Winner of Indoor Test, Looms As Favorite; Bearcats and Cape Big Contenders

Cape Girardeau will be the 1951 hosts for the annual Outdoor Meet for MIAA track teams. This Saturday, May 12, Maryville, defending champions of last year's gathering, will be greatly pressed to draw such an astounding repeat performance.

Springfield appears to be the dominant team this year by displaying overwhelming power at the Indoor Meet in which it won by almost twenty points. In a comparative surprise Maryville dominated the second position, just edging out Warrensburg.

Conclude Competition

However, down at Southeastern State all five track teams will meet to conclude their conference competition. This meet is the final test, probably more important than the Indoor in that every team has had the complete season to get in readiness for this one contest. Training has had an opportunity to show direct results, and experience has given the earlier yearlings more executive power.

And through the course of meets between the Indoor and Outdoor contests can be deciphered the potentiality of the separate teams in respective ability.

Anderson Duels Clarke
Probably one of the more exciting duels to be performed at this Outdoor Meet Saturday will be between Mick Anderson of Maryville and Fred Clarke of Springfield in the arduous mile run. At the Indoor Meet, Clarke beat Anderson with a time of 4:39.4.

Although Clarke has wielded his time down four or five seconds through constant practice, it remains for little Mick Anderson to judge whether or not the Springfield bulwark can maintain a 4:28.5 record as did he in the mile event last year. Anderson, however, has not accomplished a time near his winning one last year and may have a great deal of difficulty obtaining the same.

Mick Has Record
Mick, moreover, will be expected to capture the two mile event without too much difficulty. He established the record in that event last year at the Outdoor by running it in 4:45.7 minutes.

A third dependable trackster for the Green and White team is Bob McClure, hurdle artist who captured the low-and-high events at the Indoor. Last year at the Outdoor meet Bob won the low hurdles and placed second in the highs, and this year, because of improved conditioning, is the most promising candidate for first birth.

Miss Wormsley
A review of the 1950 record compiled by the Bearcats in their victory at the Outdoor meet is now nostalgic because of the conspicuous absence of field man Al Wormsley, 12½ point man last year; the dash men, Coulter, Neil, Zuchowski, and Carter; Lynn Leffert, sturdy half-miler; and Dick Shoneman, energetic broad jumper.

Graceland Beats Green And White Tennis 6-1
The Northwest Missouri State College racket men lost their second straight match May 2 when they dropped a 6-1 decision to Graceland College on the enemy court. Hugh McFadden brought home the only victory of the day for Coach Frank Grube's Bearcat squad as he defeated Graceland's Dobbins, 6-4, 6-2.

Bearcat Goeders, in another singles match, put up a great battle, but finally was defeated by Hay, 14-12, 2-6, 7-5.

Prior to their two defeats this week, the Bearcats had won four straight.

Results:
Olmstead, Graceland, defeated Carmichael, 6-2, 6-2.
Hay, Graceland, defeated Goeders, 14-12, 2-6, 7-5.

Bayless, Graceland, defeated Sherman, 6-3, 6-3.
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The pole vault point distribution will depend upon Frank Bollinger as far as Maryville is concerned, and if previous results are the important factor Bollinger's 11½ feet will not be enough to interrupt the first three places.

Springfield Looks Strong

Offhand, it looks as if Springfield can retain track leadership,

mainly through the strength of dash men. Cape Girardeau, moreover, should fare better than at the Indoor; Warrensburg may be the darkhorse of them all. Kirksville and Rolla don't appear too prominent.

And Maryville? It's the big question. For a team that captured 84 points last year to Cape Girardeau's 47, nothing can be predicted too definitely. If the distribution of those five point markers can be evenly distributed, the Bearcats will be in close competition for the top honors again.

Deltas Initiate Six
Six girls were initiated into Alpha Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Epsilon on April 22 in Hsieh Chin Tong. The new actives are as follows: Rose Drake, Lucille Steinhauser, Agnes Steinhauser, Eleanor Teel, Shirley Linden, and Norma Jean Hawkins. Each girl was given a corsage. Following the ceremony, the new and actives and the pledges attended a Methodist Church in a body.

We Like Paddling in Circles Around This Pond!



Spring is here when canoeing becomes the lazy pastime. Mel Clothier and Rex Plummer go paddling on the College pond with some unidentified girl. Facilities for this sport are available to the students; fishermen, however, have asked that paddlers should be careful not to disturb their fishing haven while canoeing.

Five Intramural Softball Teams Compete For League Leadership For Tournament Play-Offs

Top Two Squads, After Playing Double Round Robin, Will Meet For Big Championship Title

Five intramural softball squads have entered with the intramural commission for the right to compete for the final play-offs the last week of school. Because of the limited number of entries the commission plans to pit the top two teams against each other in the race for the tournament title after all five squads have completed a double round robin.

Intramural play officially began Tuesday, May 1, but weather conditions delayed the opening date to the following day. In previous years softball play had begun much earlier, but this spring was exceedingly wet and the diamonds had little opportunity to dry out.

Double Round Robin

Despite the late start, the commission still believes it can accomplish the playing of a double round robin because of the small number of teams which have entered. Normally enough teams had entered to allow the commission to set up two leagues.

The squad holds two victories over Tarkio College, having defeated them 6-0 on the home courts, and having defeated them 6-1 at Tarkio, April 27, in a return engagement. A close decision was won over St. Benedict's, April 20, at Atchison, Kansas, 3-2; Nebraska State Teachers, April 23, at Peru, Nebraska, were taken into camp 5-1.

Any game which is postponed will be prescheduled for play at a later date.

Managers

Max Hochhauser manages the Schmoos team; W. E. Ogden heads the Phi Sig squad; the Taus are led by Roy Rupp; co-managers Ted Baldwin and Bob Hawlette head the Red Devils; and Private Gullett manages the United States Air Force contingent.

Teams

Members of the Red Devil squad are Leonard Brooks, p.; Harold Booth, c.; Bob Rowlett, ss.; T. R. Cowan, rf.; Lawrence Kneale, 3b.; Larry Vandr, lb.; Dick Gown, lf.; Bob Geobell, c.; Ted Baldwin, 2b.; bar p.; Ernest Kusler, 2b.; Ted Stevenson, ll., and Dean Knodle, lf.

Carroll Liechti, p.; Max Hochhauser, c.; Bill Sherman, cf.; Bob Hay, Graceland, defeated Goeders, 14-12, 2-6, 7-5.
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He is attending Ohio State University, working on his doctor's degree which he hopes to receive by next summer. At the present time he is busy teaching and carrying on his studies and research work.

Mr. Rybak gives his best regards to his former colleagues and hopes to make a trip to Maryville early next fall.

Dean W. A. Brandenburg spoke Monday night, April 30, in St. Joseph at a meeting of the Men's Association of Teachers.

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Bearcats Drop Meet to Jewell; McClure Stars

Bearcat Bob McClure racked up 10 1-3 points May 3, but the Northwest Missouri thinclads, dropped a dual meet to William Jewell College at Liberty, 85 2-3 to 58 1 3. McClure captured top honors in both hurdle events to pace the Maryville squad.

McLure, the 'Cats' dependable distance runner, won the mile and two-mile runs. Hubert Sharp and Wayne Schonemann tied for first place in the high jump for Maryville's only other first place victory.

The Bearcats gained revenge for their track defeat as the tennis squad defeated Jewell four to one. Bud Carmichael stopped Jewell's Gus Yendrick, 6-2, 6-2; Cal Goeders bumped Fred Burson, 6-2, 5-7, 6-1; and Hugh McFadden rolled past Robert Jones, 6-4, 6-1. Pat Sullivan snared Jewell's lone win by soining John Pope, 6-3, 3-6, 4-6.

The track summaries:

100-yard dash—1, Nield (J), 2, Cook (J), 3, Bowman (J). Time, :10.2.

200-yard dash—1, Nield (J), 2, Hill (J).

400-yard dash—1, Bowman (J), 2, Ramsey (J), 3, Hill (J). Time, :22.6.

800-yard run—1, Adams (J), 2, Crane (J), 3, Austin (M). Time, :2.06.4.

120-yard high hurdles—1, McClure (M), 2, James (M), 3, Gadt (J). Time, :15.2.

220-yard low hurdles—1, McClure (M), 2, Coulter (M), 3, James (M). Time, :21.6.

Mile run—1, M. Anderson (M), 2, Ashby (J), 3, W. Anderson (M). Time, 4:38.2.

Two-mile run—1, M. Anderson (M), 2, Ashby (J), 3, W. Anderson (M). Time, 10:5.

Doubles

Farnes and Thomas defeated Carmichael and McFadden, 6-2, 6-4; Goeders and James defeated Wilson and Kyle, 6-2, 6-4.

TARKIO-BEARCATS

Carmichael, Maryville, defeated Graham, 6-2, 6-2.

McFadden, Maryville, defeated Salas, 6-0, 6-3.

Moore, Tarkio, defeated James, 6-2, 6-6.

Nathan, Maryville, defeated Dodge, 6-5, 6-2.

Poppe, Maryville, defeated Cornell, 6-2, 6-2.

Carmichael and McFadden, Maryville, defeated Graham and Dodge, 6-2, 6-3.

Nathan and Poppe, Maryville, defeated Moore and Salas, 6-1, 6-2.

OMAHA-BEARCATS

Burke, Omaha, defeated Carmichael, 6-3, 6-2.

Pisale, Omaha, defeated Goeders, 6-2, 6-0.

Blocker, Omaha, defeated McFadden, 6-1, 6-0.

Gallagher, Omaha, defeated James, 6-4, 6-0.

Werner, Omaha, defeated Nathan, 7-5, 9-7.

Burke and Blocker, Omaha, defeated Carmichael and McFadden, 6-3, 6-3.

Pisale and Gallagher, Omaha, defeated Poppe and Nathan, 6-1, 6-0.

Several Schools Attend Play Day

Ten girls and sponsor attended the annual Play Day, May 5, sponsored by the Women's Athletic Association, from each of the following Missouri schools: Albany, Mount City, Bethany, Blytheville, Breckinridge, Burlington Junction, Clyde, Coffey, Eagleville, King City, Horace Mann, Maryville.

Maitland, Maryville High, Mrs. Byron Milbank, sponsor, Parnell, Ravenwood, Pickering, Savannah, Sheridan, Skidmore, Central St. Joseph, Winston, Trenton with Mrs. Dorothy Harshaw Ward, sponsor, from Albia, Dorothy Smith; Thomas Jefferson Council Bluffs, Mildred Smith, Emmetsburg, Mercede Myers; and Ladora, Mrs. Bill Christensen.

Team leaders for the girls were Thesis Robinson, Nila Geer, Lois Butt, Virdean Dorman, Donna Slatery, Esther Doser, Jo Ann Cutler, Katie McMullen, Vera Van Velsan, Lucy Barger, Peggy Carsten, Charlene Kline, Shirley Wiles, Roberta McGregor, Evelyn McGregor, Carolyn But, Mary Lou Breit, Joyce Baker, Marilyn Hartell, Mary Baum and Betty Tieman.

Registers of the girls were Mary Lou Neville and Charlotte Turner; Nila Geer, Arlene Beavers, check room; Sarah Davis, pictures; Charlene Kline and Peggy Carsten, dressing room; Jo Magnuson and Roberta Berry, greeting; Kathryn Barnmann, equipment. Those girls helping Miss Jutten with square dancing were Verne Cox and Mary Kinman.

Lunches were not served on the campus as planned but each girl brought her own lunch. Milk and

Random Shots

By C. D. KNODLE

Two lads active in track this season...

High-jumping Hubert Sharp... a fresh at the College... hills from Craig... Class of '50... he began his specialty about three years ago and has made an impressive record... In his junior year at H. S. he kicked a third in the state high-jump event and last season he managed top honors with a 5' 11".

The 6' business major this year won for the Bearcats the MIAA jump crown at Columbia—his height 5' 11 1/2". Since then he has piled up points for the Cat cinder unit...



He remembers that during high school his big opponent for honors was another Maryville specialist in the event, Tonto Schonemann... and "Rog" won over "Hub"... However in College Hub evened the scores...

His hobbies—collecting Indian heads... he has exhibits from Mexico, Canada and over half of the states... and also he keeps a gun outfit...

Freshman Wayne Anderson graduated from Atlantic, Iowa, in 1950 in basketball and track... During his final year of school he garnered a 2nd in the mile event of the Hawkeyes 7... Time for that was 4:46. His best half mile time has been 2:00... Also he anchored the relay contingent...

This season as a Bearcat he holds a 4th in the conference meet and in his first attempt at the two mile stretch came in 2nd (against Doane of Nebraska)... always a consistent runner...

This 5' 9" physical education major was a member of the freshman basketball team... Hobbies—sports... For the future Wayne has this to say, "Beat my brother"...

Note that in the doubles against Peru, Nebraska, in tennis Coach Frank Grube worked Cal Goeders and James as one duo and Bud Carmichael and Hugh McFadden in the second contest... Against St. Benedict's at Atchison the team played great tennis... James won the clutch match by 2-6, 6-4, 6-6 to give the competitors a 3-2 triumph... The St. Joseph number "4" man came from behind with a brilliant serve and twelve service aces.

J. Joseph "Moon" Mullins has signed a contract for this coming year to teach social science and coach football and basketball at Weston. The graduating senior has coached Christian Brothers of St. Joseph in '43 and worked as assistant coach in 1947... Softball is under way—finally—Good games on tab...

With today's column your scribe hangs up his "writing gear," after covering this beat "Random Shots" for quite a while... When you have been conditioned to writing a sports story the matter of filling a column becomes routine... Yet in my two scribes can ever be the same... You handle different sporting events, perhaps, and personal stories. During these past three years the Bearcats have won many football, basketball, and track affairs... and they have lost contests, too... as do all competitive teams... And in mentally retracing College days and his work as a staff writer one naturally remembers numerous men he has had the privilege of writing about...

True it is that no single athlete can be singled out for teamwork is the essential—the fellows on the benches are just as important to an athletic team combination as the lads actually working against the opposition...

It has been a definite pleasure to write about men in the physical education fields... Without their invaluable assistance no column could be complete... To all of them—and